

REMARKS:

This Divisional Application is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated January 28, 2004.

The above-referenced application is amended to Application Serial No. 09/712,844 filed on November 15, 2000, which in turn is a Continuation of Japanese Patent Application No. 323624/1999 filed on November 15, 1999.

The Formal Drawings for the Divisional Application are enclosed herewith.

Applicant hereby elects claims 2, 3, 7, 8, 12, 13, 17 and 18 which are directed to species of configuration in Figures 4-6 for examination in this case. Claims 1, 4, 5, 6, 9-11, 14-16, 19-20 have been canceled in this application.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 07-1337 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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